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METHOD

**CLARIFICATION OF RECORD**

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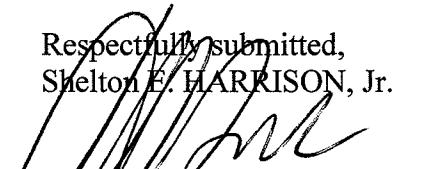
Upon review of the Form PTO-1449 submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement filed November 29, 2004 and the initialed copy of the Form PTO-1449 attached to the Office Action mailed January 19, 2007, Applicant notes that U.S. Patent No. 6,473,740 is listed as U.S. Patent No. 6,473,74-.

In view of the above and to ensure that the record is clear, Applicant is submitting herewith a Form PTO-1449 correctly listing U.S. Patent No. 6,473,740. The Examiner is accordingly requested to indicate consideration of this document, and to make it of record in this application by initialing in the appropriate space on the Form PTO-1449. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner include a copy of the initialed Form PTO-1449 with the next communication from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Applicant does not believe that any fee is necessary for this clarification. However, if the Examiner determines that any additional fee is necessary, authorization is hereby provided to charge any required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Any comments or questions concerning this application can be directed to the undersigned at the telephone number given below.

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